

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LAW AND JUSTICE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:422

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Vacancy of Chairperson in Law Commission

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Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the post of Chairperson of the Law Commission of India has been lying vacant since long;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor;
- (c) the time by which it is likely to filled up; and
- (d) the steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

ANSWER

MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE

(SHRI D.V. SADANANDA GOWDA)

(a) to (d): The Government has constituted 21st Law Commission of India for a period of three years from September 1, 2015 to August 31, 2018 vide notification dated 14th September, 2015. The post of Chairperson is lying vacant since 01.09.2015 and will be filled up soon.